



Facts Concerning  
Edmonton  
Exhibition

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AUGUST 11-16, 1913



# Programme

MONDAY, AUGUST 11th—Preparation Day.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 12th—Opening Day. Official Opening at 2 p.m. in front of the Grand Stand by John Bright, Esq., Live Stock Commissioner for the Dominion of Canada.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13th—Farmer's Day.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 14th—Citizens Day.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 15th—Review Day. Parade of Prize Winning Animals in front of the Grand Stand.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 16th—Children's Day.



ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

DIRECTORS IN CHARGE OF VARIOUS  
DEPARTMENTS:

Light Horses—R. J. Manson.

Heavy Horses—G. Hunter.

General Purpose and Agricultural—G. Long.

Sheep—W. D. Carscadden.

Swine—D. W. Warner.

Dairy Cattle—C. H. Grierson.

Beef Cattle—W. Golley.

Poultry—J. E. Lundy.

Dogs—C. May.

Dairy Products—S. H. Smith.

Manufactures—A. Davies.

Domestic Manufactures—S. H. Smith.

Grain and Grasses—A. B. Campbell.

Police—D. R. Stewart.

Privileges—W. J. Stark.

Fine Arts—Dr. H. M. Tory.

Ladies' Work and School Exhibits—A. Davies.

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President—A. B. Campbell.

Vice-President—G. S. Armstrong.

Superintendent of Grounds—D. R. Stewart.

Manager—W. J. Stark.

Administration Office—Opposite Main Entrance to  
Grounds.

## ADMISSION CHARGES, SALE OF TICKETS, ETC.

Adults will be admitted to the grounds up to 6 p.m. for 50c. After 6 p.m. the price of admission will be 25c.

Children from 6 to 12 years of age will be charged 10c admission to the grounds.

Admission to Grand Stand and seats not reserved—Adults 25c, Children 15c.

Reserved Seats in Afternoon—first 16 rows, 75c. The balance of the reserved seats in the Grand Stand, 50c. In the evenings, all reserved seats will be 50c.

On Saturday, Children's Day—all children under twelve years will be admitted to the grounds free.

Automobiles and Carriages—\$2.00 per week, or 50c. each time of entrance, together with general charge for admission for each passenger.

Tickets may be purchased at Lines' Drug Store, 125 Jasper West. Reserved seats on sale every morning to 11 a.m.

Reserved Seats will be on sale at the Exhibition Grounds after 12 o'clock of each day, at the entrance to the Grand Stand.

## LIVE STOCK DEPARTMENT

The choicest pure-bred stock in the province, and many herds from distant points, including the Western Provinces, Ontario and Quebec may be seen at the Edmonton Exhibition.

The Government of Alberta will have on exhibition some of their Demonstration Farm Cattle, including Dairy Shorthorns, Holsteins, Herefords and Ayrshires in Barn "G."

Catalogues of the entries, with programme for each day on sale at 10c.

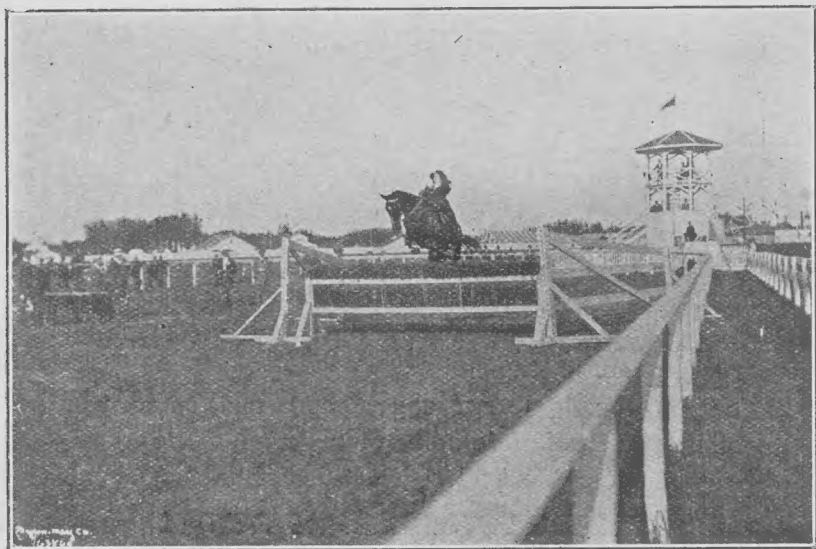


SHOW HORSES IN RING IN FRONT OF GRAND STAND

## THE RACES

Form a big feature of all Western Exhibitions. For this meet the Directors have offered \$24,000 in prizes and purses. The Western Canada Racing Circuit began with the Edmonton May Meet on May 22-23 24, and lasts for seventeen weeks, taking in the meets of the various turf clubs and exhibitions. Ask at the Office for a Racing Program.

In connection with this Department many will be interested in the Pari-Mutuel Machines, which the



MISS HELEN McDONALD RIDING "SMOKY" OVER THE JUMPS

Directors have this year installed, for the better protection of the public.

A feature also worthy of mention is the Subway under the Race Track. This has just been completed at a cost of \$12,000. It permits passage to and from the enclosure inside the ring without the dangerous crossing of the track, which at many meets has been the source of many accidents.

### DOG SHOW

The Dog Show is being held this year by the Exhibition Association under the auspices of the



BOBKER BEN ALI TROUPE OF ARABS



Edmonton Kennel Club, and is this year for the first time being conducted under the Dominion Kennel Club Rules.

Catalogue of the Dog Show on sale at 10 cents.

### POULTRY SHOW

The Poultry Show this year includes a carload of birds sent from British Columbia under the direction of the Department of Agriculture of that Province.

A large number of entries have also been brought Ontario and Illinois, as well as from Alberta and other Western Provinces.

### LOAN EXHIBIT OF PAINTINGS

One of the special features of the Fine Arts Department this year is the loan collection of pictures by noted Canadian artists. These pictures are for sale, and are sent by the Ontario Society of Artists. A special catalogue has been issued giving names and particulars of these pictures. The exhibits will be found on the top floor of the octagon in the Manufacturers' Building.

### BANDS

In addition to the local bands, including the Citizens' Band the 101st Regimental Band, the Moose Band, the Strathcona Band, and the Pipers' Band the management have secured at big expense, the

72nd SEAFORTH HIGHLANDERS BAND from Vancouver. This band will be in attendance each day and evening.

## POLICE

In addition to a large number of plain-clothes detectives constantly on duty, a detachment of the Edmonton Police force will be in attendance, reinforced by four mounted policemen. The Police Station is located to the south of the roadway in front of the Grand Stand, near the main entrance to the grounds.

## HOSPITAL TENT

A well-equipped Emergency Hospital is conducted by the Women's Council of the United Aids Society. A trained nurse will be in readiness at all times. This hospital will be found to the east of the Police Station, on the south side of the road leading to the Manufacturers' Building. An ambulance will be on the grounds night and day ready for calls.

## FIRE PROTECTION

The buildings are well protected against fire. In addition, a fire hall is located just north of the Midway, close to the subway leading under the Race Track.

## BANKING

The Merchants Bank of Canada has an office in the Administration Building.

## TELEPHONE, TELEGRAPH AND EXPRESS SERVICE

Public Pay Telephones are located at various points on the grounds. These will be found in the Adminis-

tration Building, under the Grand Stand, in the Manufacturers' Building, Poultry Building, in the Office of the Superintendent of Horses, in the Stock Pavilion, in the Building for the Superintendent of Cattle, in the Machinery Hall, and in the Race Barns. Telegraph and Express Offices will be found under the Grand Stand.

### TRANSPORTATION TO AND FROM GROUNDS

In addition to the excellent car service provided by the city, arrangements have been made with the taxi-



AUTOMOBILES LINED UP BACK OF THE RACE TRACK, 1912

cab companies to transport visitors to and from the grounds. Stands will be located just inside the main entrance to the grounds. The fare charged will be 50c. per passenger, each way. Any violation of this charge should be reported at once to the manager of the Exhibition, W. J. Stark.

## THE MIDWAY

The directors have spent this year about \$6000 in grading and draining the Midway. A wide sidewalk has been laid down and the Midway grounds of the Edmonton Exhibition Association are about the finest



ATTRACTION PLATFORM IN FRONT OF GRAND STAND

that can be planned. The Kline Shows which have been secured by the management are the cleanest and best on the road.

### FREE ATTRACTIONS

The attractions in front of the Grand Stand are furnished by the Western Vaudeville Association of Chicago, and Herbert A. Kline, of Flint, Mich. They include a Lady Cornetist secured from the Navassar Band of Chicago, Ramona Ortezt, Mexican Wire Artist, The Modelsky Troupe of Russian Dancers, Rex Comedy Circus, Bobker Ben Ali Troupe of Arabs, Walter Stanton and His Giant Rooster and Dancing Geese, and "The Flying Bicketts."



WALTER STANTON AND HIS GIANT ROOSTER AND DANCING GESE

In addition to this regular program of attractions, the judging of the Show horses and the Races will be in full view of the spectators in the Grand Stand in afternoon. In the evening the performance will close with a magnificent display of fireworks.

Worthy of special mention is the grand

## MILITARY TATTOO

This was a new feature last year and received such an enthusiastic reception that the Management are again featuring it. Mr. D. C. Ross of the Toronto Exhibition Staff will again be in charge and the Tattoo



REX COMEDY CIRCUS

will be bigger and better than before. The following is the program of music and many will be interested to know what regiments and countries are represented.

The uniforms of the armies of the leading nations will be represented flying the royal standards of thirty countries of the civilized world. These bands will be surrounded by more than 200 torch bearers marching and counter-marching to the skirl of the Bag Pipes.

The order of entry and parade will be as follows:—

First—the Gunfire Salute at nine p.m.

First post, Buglers' Band of the 101st Regiment.

Second—Edmonton Pipers' Band.

Third—Band in the uniform of the Republican Guard of the French Republic playing the Marseilles.

Torch bearers surrounded by uniformed Italian Carbineers, the Bulgarian Infantry and Servian Hussars.

Fourth—The Royal Naval Brigade with torch bearers in the uniforms of the Bengal Lancers, the West Coast African Infantry and the Royal Marines.

Fifth—Will be the United States Infantry and in campaign uniform and torch bearers in the costumes of the United States Cavalry, the Turkish Artillery and the Spanish Rurales.

Sixth—In order of march will be the Imperial Kaiserin Band in the blue and white of that famous organization with torch bearers in the uniforms of the German, Austrian and Roumanian Infantry.



GRAND STAND, EDMONTON EXHIBITION



Seven — Will be the 72nd Seaforth Highlanders Band from Vancouver, in full Highland Regimentals of Kilties whose torch bearers will wear the uniforms of the Royal Canadian Infantry, Russian Cossacks and Marines.

When all these have assembled with the flags of all nations unfurled and grouped in front of the grand stand they march and counter-march to the tune of "Oh Canada" followed by the massed number "Rule Britannia."

Tenth on the musical program will be "The Maple Leaf For Ever." This number will also be accompanied by a magnificent set piece of fire-works.

By special request from Russian citizens of the city and province, the Russian war march will follow the foregoing, after which the evening hymn, "Abide With Me" will be the closing music en masse, followed by the Grand March past the Grand Stand, as the pageant leaves the enclosure.

## FIREWORKS

After the Military Tattoo, a brilliant display of fireworks will end each evenings programme at the Exhibition Grounds.







RAMONA ORTEZ